

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Powerloom Industry - Power Tariff Concession to Powerloom Weavers - Reduction in Power Tariff for Powerloom units from Rs.1.74 per unit to Rs.0.87 per unit - Sanction of an amount of Rs.198.06 lakhs for (3) months i.e., from 01-10-2008 to 31-12-2008 (3rd quarter) to recoup revenue loss to the AP TRANSCO for the financial year 2008-2009 - Orders - Issued.

INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE (TEX) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 50.

Dated:27-1-2009

Read the following:

1. G.O.Ms.No.518, Industries and Commerce (Tex) Department, dated 12-10-2001.
2. G.O.Rt.No.567, Industries and Commerce (Tex) Department, dt.25-07-2008.
3. G.O.Rt.No.799, Ind.& Com. (Tex.)Dept., dt:25-10-2008.
4. From the Director of Handlooms and Textiles and Development Commissioner for Apparel Export Parks, A.P., Hyderabad , Rc.No.1638/2008-P, dt. 17-11-2008.

O R D E R:

In the reference 1st read above, Government after considering the crisis in powerloom sector in the recent past, and the recommendations of the Andhra Pradesh Electricity Regulatory Commission (APERC), have decided to provide relief in power tariff and reduced power tariff to powerloom units from Rs.1.74 per unit to Rs.0.87 per unit. The estimated revenue loss to AP TRANSCO, on this account, would be Rs.3.00 crores per annum, which has to be recouped by the Government. Accordingly, Government is recouping the revenue loss to the AP TRANSCO, for providing power tariff concession to powerloom weavers units from 1-10-2001 onwards, subject to the conditions of APERC indicated therein.

2. In the reference 2nd read above, sanction was accorded for continuance of the Power Tariff Concession to Powerloom Units for a further period of one year i.e. from 01-04-2008 to 31-03-2009.

3. In the reference 3rd read above, orders were issued sanctioning an amount of Rs.198.06 lakhs towards Power Subsidy quarterly advance for (3) months from 1-7-2008 to 30-9-2008 to recoup the revenue loss to APTRANSCO for the current financial year 2008-09.

4. In the reference 4th read above, the Director of Handlooms and Textiles and Development Commissioner for Apparel Export Parks, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, has stated that the Government vide reference 3rd read above, have sanctioned an amount of Rs.198.06 lakhs for (3) months i.e., from 1.7.2008 to 30.9.2008 (for 2nd quarter) as advance to recoup the revenue loss to APTRANSCO for the current financial year 2008-2009 under power tariff concession to Powerloom units and the same amount was released to AP TRANSCO, Hyderabad. The AP 'TRANSCO' has also furnished the Utilization Certificate for the amount released under the scheme. Further, as per Projection of advance furnished by the Dy.CCA of Accounts (Rev/APPCC) of Power Coordinaton Committee, an amount of Rs.198.06 lakhs for (3) months i.e., from 1.10.2008 to 31.12.2008 (for 3rd quarter) is required to recoup revenue loss to AP TRANSCO for the current financial year 2008-09 under power tariff concession to powerloom units. Therefore, an amount of Rs.198.06 lakhs is required for payment as advance for 3 months i.e., from 1.10.2008 to 31.12.2008 (3rd Quarter).

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5. The Director, H&T, Hyderabad has requested the Government to accord sanction for an amount of Rs.198.06 lakhs for (3) months i.e., from 1.10.2008 to 31.12.2008 (for 3rd quarter) to recoup the revenue loss to AP TRANSCO for the current financial year 2008-2009, duly authorizing him to draw and disburse the same to the concerned.

6. The Government after careful examination of the matter have decided to sanction an amount of Rs.198.06 lakhs to recoup the revenue loss to APTRANSCO for (3) months i.e. from 1-10-2008 to 31-12-2008 (3rd quarter) under Power Tariff Concession to powerloom weavers during the financial year 2008-09. Accordingly, Government hereby accord sanction an amount of Rs.198.06 lakhs (Rupees one hundred and ninety eight lakhs and six thousand only) to recoup the revenue loss to APTRANSCO for (3) months i.e. from 1-10-2008 to 31-12-2008 (3rd quarter) under Power Tariff Concession to powerloom weavers during the financial year 2008-09.

7. The amount sanctioned above, shall be debited to the following Head of Account:

"2851	-	Village and Small Industries
MH.103	-	Handloom Industries
		Schemes included in the plan.
11	-	Normal State Plan
SH (11)	-	Financial assistance to Weavers
310	-	Grants-in-aid.
312	-	Other Grants-in-aid"

8. The Director of Handlooms and Textiles and Development Commissioner for Apparel Export Parks, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad, is authorized to draw the amount sanctioned above and disburse the same to the concerned.

9. This orders issues with the concurrence of Finance (Exp.I&C) Dept., vide their U.O.No.35528 / 660 /Exp.I&C/2008, dated: 6 - 1 -2009 and as per Budget Release Order vide G.O.Rt.No.69, Finance (Expr. I&C) Department, dated: 6-1-2009.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Y.SRILAKSHMI,
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT.

To
The DH&T, Hyderabad.
The Chairman & Managing Director, AP TRANSCO, Hyderabad.
The Director (Fin.), AP TRANSCO, Hyderabad.
The Managing Director,
A.P. Central Power Distribution Company Ltd., (AP CPDCL), Hyderabad.
The Accountant General, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
The Pay and Accounts Officer, Andhra Pradesh, Hyderabad.
The Co-operative Electric Supply Society Limited (CESS),
Siricilla, Karimnagar District.

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The Finance (Exp.I&C) Department.
The P.S. to Secretary to Government, I&C Department.
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SECTION OFFICER.